

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Focazio et al.	§ Group Art Unit: 2166
Serial No.: 10/756,932	§
	§ Examiner: Lin, Shew Fen
Filed: January 14, 2004	§
	§ Attorney Docket No.: AUS920030927US1
	§
For: Method and Apparatus for Validating and Configuring Database Transaction Requests from Multiple Clients	§

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447.

In response to the Office Action of September 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.